

MINUTES
Standardization Committee
Friday, June 13, 2003

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SANDEL SAFETY MARKER EVALUATION: We are trying to find a marker that will hold up for the preps in the OR for dark skinned patients. Steve Balog, RN has talked with two other vendors; they have suggested green or white colors. Will check with other hospitals to see what they use. More information for the next meeting.

COST IMPLICATION REPORTS: MMD is stocking new Oxygen Connectors #2 tubing for Respiratory Therapy. 250ml Lactated Ringers will also be stocked. If there is any other units that need Lactated Ringers contact Paula Wrenn to stock in their Pyxis.

HEPARIN FLUSH SYRINGE LABEL AND U.S.P. N.S.S SYRINGE LABEL: Referred to Pharmacy through Barry Goldspiel, RPh. Myra Woolery-Antill, RN is point person. Report at July Meeting.

AVARGARD D SURGICAL SCRUB TRIAL: This is a DASS trial with waterless surgical scrub. Evaluation summary presented. Several of the comments were that this product is GREAT; was well received. Would like to recommend this as an alternative and will re-evaluate in six months. Approved for Inventory

AVAGARD D PUMP DISPENSER AND WALL MOUNT BRACKETS: End of September there were wall mounted pumps dispenser's installed at the inpatient areas. First quarter we released a lot of the Avagard D. Second quarter not as much was released; these are 16oz pump dispensers so that may have something to do with it? Infection Control has no data at this time, but will have more information at July's meeting. Recommendation and motion is pending approval by Dr. Henderson and Dr. Evans. Each hand sanitizer will be placed outside the patient's door unless declined per the nurse manager.

ALARIS MEDLEY IV PUMP PROJECT-GUARDRAILS: Six profiles approved by the P & T Committee. August 5th and 6th in services for train the trainer. Alaris will be assisting BIOMED in the upgrade of the pumps.

GEMSTAR AMBULATORY PUMP IMPLEMENTATION STATUS: Abbott has isolated defect to pump cassette. Further investigation continues. We are waiting for a new lot number to run our own tests.

MEDRAD CONTINUUM MRI COMPATIBLE INFUSION SYSTEM UPDATES: June 17th Anesthesia and MRI will be reviewing this system in the MMD Conference Room. Pharmacy invited also. An e-mail will be sent out.

KIMBERLY CLARKE ISOLATION GOWN: Need to re-look at our current isolation gown in the Clinical Center. They are not Latex Free or 100% pervious. The OR is 100% impervious and will be recommended for the SARS Project. This will be e-mailed to the SARS work group for comments.

SPILL-GUARD MALE URINALS: There are no updates on the urinals. The one's that are being looked at are \$25.00 each. Need more information and possibly a new vendor. Cost is too high!

REUSABLE MANUEL B/P CUFF REPLACEMENT: The Latex free disposable cuffs from Kimberly Clark are discontinued by the manufacturers. Found two alternatives for the crash cart by Welch Allyn. Reusable cuffs, one Silver-Ring and Classic Hand. Which ever one gets decided on we will stock in the crash carts. Samples will be available for the committee to decide on for the July's meeting.